

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

IMMER et al.

Group Art Unit: 1644

Application No.: 09/027,777

Examiner: R. Schwadron

Filed: February 23, 1998

Attorney Dkt. No.: 108099-00001

For:

PROCESS FOR PREPARING CARDIODILATIN FRAGMENTS; HIGHLY

PURIFIED CARDIODILATIN FRAGMENTS AND INTERMEDIATE

PRODUCTS FOR THE PREPARATION OF SAME

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: August 10, 2004

Sir:

Applicants petition for an extension of time for one month for response to the outstanding Office Action dated April 21, 2004 from July 21, 2004 to August 21, 2004.

Please find attached a check in the amount of \$110 to cover the fee discussed above. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 01-2300, referencing docket number 108099-00001.

Respectfully submitted,

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